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C O N F I D E N T I A L PEKING 1031

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E.O. 11652: GDS
TAGS: PINT CH
SUBJ: TIEN AN MEN SQUARE POSTERS DOWN, OTHERS REMAIN IN PLACE

REF: PEKING 1015

1. SMALL TEAMS OF WORKMEN DESCENDED ON THE MARTYR'S MONUMENT AROUND 11 PM ON APRIL 13 IN ORDER TO REMOVE COMMEMORATIVE WREATHS AND TO SCRUB AWAY POSTERS AFFIXED TO THE BASE OF THE MONUMENT. THEIR CHORES WERE NEARLY COMPLETED BY MIDNIGHT. REFLECTING EITHER THEIR POLITICAL SENTIMENTS OR AN APPRECIATION FOR FINE CARICATURE, PERHAPS, THEY LEFT IN PLACE TO THE VERY END THE POSTER DEPICTING PEKING FIRST SECRETARY WU TEH AS A POLITICAL "TUMBLER" OR OPPORTUNIST.

2. THUS FAR THE POSTERS ALONG CHANG AN STREET AND THE ONE IN FRONT OF THE PEKING PARTY COMMITTEE HEADQUARTERS HAVE NOT BEEN REMOVED.

3. ACCORDING TO TWO RELIABLE WITNESSES, A MESSAGE SCRAWLED
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ONTO THE CHANG AN STREET WALL BY A ROCK OR SHARP OBJECT EXHORTED PASSERS-BY TO PLACE THEIR POSTERS OUTSIDE THE PEKING PARTY COMMITTEE HEADQUARTERS.
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